

2015-16 Influenza Vaccination Webinar

Join the Indiana State Department of Health Live Webcast to learn about the 2015-16 seasonal influenza vaccines, trends and lessons learned from previous influenza seasons, influenza antiviral recommendations, and specimen collection methods for influenza testing!

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FREE Registration and Event Details: <http://www.in.gov/isdh/26800.htm>

Objectives

At the completion of this activity participants should be able to:

1. Discuss varying influenza coverage among healthcare personnel and how influenza vaccine coverage among healthcare personnel impacts the morbidity associated with influenza outbreaks in long term care settings.
2. Review influenza surveillance components and trends in seasonal influenza activity.
3. Recognize appropriate specimen types required and collection methods for influenza laboratory tests.
4. Identify vaccine strain components of the 2015-16 season influenza vaccines.
5. Identify which 2015-16 influenza vaccines are indicated for their patients based on age, pregnancy status and/or underlying medical condition and also discuss the appropriate usage of influenza antiviral treatment for treatment and chemoprophylaxis.

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